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SUBJECT: AIM-9J BRIEFING TEAM

REF: TAIPEI 2453

1. AIM-9J-1 IS THE DESIGNATION FOR A NEW PRODUCTION LINE OF THE AIM-9J (SIDEWINDER), NOT A NEW SIDEWINDER MISSILE SYSTEM. THERE ARE ONLY MINOR PERFORMANCE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO MODELS. SINCE THE PRESENT AIM-9J PRODUCTION LINE IS NO LONGER TAKING NEW ORDERS, DOD HOPES TO INTEREST ENOUGH SECURITY ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS IN THE AIM-9J-1 TO BE ABLE TO OPEN A NEW PRODUCTION LINE ON A COST EFFECTIVE BASIS. USAF WILL BE PROCURING A MORE SOPHISTICATED SIDEWINDER THAN THE AIM-9J-1.

2. WE WILL REVIEW THE AREA CLEARANCE REQUEST FOR THE AIM-9J BRIEFING TEAM WHEN WE RECEIVE IT. OUR DECISION WILL BE INFLUENCED BY DETERMINATION OF ROC NEEDS FOR ADDITIONAL SIDEWINDERS.

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